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**FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE:**

## **FELON CHARGED WITH POSSESSION OF FIREARMS**

### **PRESS RELEASE**

Susan W. Brooks, United States Attorney for the Southern District of Indiana, announced that LARRY D. JACKSON, 32, Indianapolis, Indiana, was indicted by a federal grand jury sitting in Indianapolis for the unlawful possession of firearms and ammunition by a convicted felon, following an investigation by the Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco, and Firearms, and the Indiana State Police.

The indictment alleges that JACKSON possessed three firearms and multiple rounds of ammunition at his residence on March 4, 2003, after having been convicted of the felony offenses of Dealing in Cocaine, Possession of Cocaine, and Possession of Cocaine with Intent To Deliver.

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According to Assistant United States Attorney James P. Hanlon, who is prosecuting the case for the government, JACKSON faces a maximum possible prison sentence of 10 years and a maximum possible fine of \$250,000. Following a hearing held on April 25, 2003, before a U.S. Magistrate Judge, JACKSON was ordered detained at the Marion County Jail pending disposition of this case.

**The indictment is an allegation only, and the defendant is presumed innocent unless and until proven guilty at trial or by guilty plea.**

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